

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend paragraph [0013] on page 3 of the specification as follows.

FIG. 4C is a view taken on line 4C-4C of Fig. 4A; ~~and~~

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FIGS. 5A and 5B are views similar to Figs. 1A and 1B of a fifth embodiment of the present invention[.]; and

Please insert the following paragraph between paragraph [0014] on page 3 of the specification and paragraph [0015] on page 4 of the specification.

FIG. 6 is a plot of measured fluid intake rate versus percent saturation in 0.9% saline for a representative example of the invention.